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Via ECFS

Ms. Marlene Dortch Secretary Federal Communications Commission 445 12th Street, S.W. Washington, DC 20554

> Re: Oral Ex Parte Presentation IB Docket No. 00-248

Dear Ms. Dortch:

This is to report that on December 9, 2003, Dr. Leonard Schiff and I of QUALCOMM, along with Jan King and Leslie Taylor, consultants to QUALCOMM, met with Ed Thomas, Julius Knapp, Jim Schlichting, Alan Scrime and Tom Derenge of the staff of the Office of Engineering & Technology and Steven Spaeth and John Martin of the staff of the International Bureau (collectively, the "FCC Staff") to discuss issues relating to the above-referenced proceeding. A copy of the presentation that QUALCOMM made at the meeting is being filed herewith.

Throughout the meeting, QUALCOMM emphasized that to enable the deployment of an innovative satellite system on the Ka-band based on CDMA technology to provide high speed internet access to areas of low population density in a spectrally efficient manner, as well as satellite systems based on other time division-based technologies, the Commission should adopt an approach to quantifying adjacent satellite interference in the Ka-band that reflects the statistical likelihood that a given level of interference will actually occur. Such an approach would effectively establish a de minimis level or levels of statistically unlikely, but permissible interference for a given length of time per incident, providing sufficient protection to systems operating on adjacent satellites. QUALCOMM reiterated its willingness to work with the FCC Staff in developing the appropriate parameters for such an approach.

I am filing this notice electronically via the Commission's ECFS system.

Respectfully submitted,

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